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Specification Amendments:

Please amend paragraph 27 as follows:

--[0027] More specifically, the break-away section 22 is largely of a narrowed thickness having one side which is part of the inner face 18 and an opposite side located between the inner 18 and outer 20 faces. This narrowed portion of the break-away section 22 thus forms a generally circular groove 24 in the wall 14 at the periphery of the knockout 16. The break-away section 22 also has two small tabs 26, spaced 180 degrees apart, which are of full thickness (having opposite sides that are part of the inner 18 and outer 20 faces of the wall) so that the groove 24 is not actually one circular groove, but rather defines two nearly semi-circular [grooves] sections 24A and 24B of the groove 24. The tabs 26 bolster the connection of the knockout 16 to the wall 14 prior to removal, but are sized of a small enough width that they are readily sheared apart during removal. As shown in FIG. 5, the wall 14, knockout 16 and break-away section 22 all have the inner face 18 in common so that prior to removal there is a continuous, unbroken surface at the inside of the housing 12. The continuous surface prevents the debris and liquid from entering the housing 12 at or around the knockout 16, such that the housing 12 can be made to satisfy the NEMA 4 and NEMA 12 sealing requirements, as known in the art, including sealing sufficient to allow spray down of the housing 12 from a hose.--